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BANGKOK PASS ACTION FADPC ACTION, EMBASSY FOR INFO

E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJECT: INSPECTION OF FADPC, BANGKOK

1. AN INSPECTION OF THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS DATA PROCESSING CENTER (FADPC), BANGKOK IS SCHEDULED TO BEGIN IN WASHINGTON ON JANUARY 17, 1977. THE INSPECTION TEAM WILL BE HEADED BY LAWRENCE A. FOWLER WHO WILL BE ASSISTED BY GEORGE M. LOWE, JR. AFTER COMPLETION OF THE INITIAL PHASE IN WASHINGTON, THE INSPECTION IN BANGKOK WILL BEGIN ABOUT FEBRUARY 3 AND END ABOUT MARCH 17, 1977. THE FINAL PHASE IN WASHINGTON, INCLUDING FINALIZATION OF THE INSPECTION REPORT IS SCHEDULED FOR COMPLETION ABOUT APRIL 12, 1977.

2. THIS INSPECTION IS UNDERTAKEN TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS FOR PERIODIC EVALUATION ESTABLISHED BY THE BUDGET AND ACCOUNTING PROCEDURES ACT OF 1950, AS AMENDED. THE INSPECTORS WILL EMPHASIZE MANAGEMENT EFFECTIVENESS, RESOURCE
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UTILIZATION, OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCY, PROGRAM RESULTS AND CONTROLS. INSPECTOR'S EVALUATION REPORTS WILL BE PREPARED FOR CLASS 2, 3 AND CERTAIN CLASS 6 OFFICERS, WITH ASSISTANCE AS NECESSARY FROM THE EA/TB INSPECTION TEAM.

3. THE INSPECTORS WILL DISCUSS THEIR CONCLUSIONS AND REC-

COMMENDATIONS WITH YOU FULLY DURING THE INSPECTION. THE

FINAL REPORT WILL BE PREPARED IN WASHINGTON AFTER DISCUSSIONS WITH RELEVANT OFFICES.

4. MATERIALS FOR THE INSPECTION HAVE BEEN POUCHED TO YOU UNDER REGISTRY NUMBER 2534672 (DATED 12/29/76, UNCLASSIFIED). THE MATERIALS INCLUDE AN ANNOTATED COPY OF OUR INSPECTION INSTRUCTIONS TO POST, WHICH PROVIDES AN INDICATION OF THE PREPARATIONS YOU WILL NEED TO UNDERTAKE AND SUPPORT THE INSPECTORS WILL NEED FROM YOUR OFFICE.

5. INSPECTOR FOWLER WILL NOTIFY YOU OF THE TEAM'S TRAVEL PLANS AND ACCOMMODATION REQUIREMENTS. S/IG WOULD WELCOME ANY QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE INSPECTION.

6. FOR YOUR INFORMATION, A SIMULTANEOUS CONDUCT OF RELATIONS INSPECTION OF EMBASSY BANGKOK IS SCHEDULED FOR THE PERIOD FEBRUARY 4 THROUGH MARCH 22, 1977. A SEPARATE CABLE

HAS BEEN SENT TO EMBASSY BANGKOK.
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